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G. P. Blanchard, LOCAL
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Local and General

Mr. and Mrs. Bray visited Cal-
gary on Monday last.

We are pleased to see Mrs. Jas.
Ruddy able to be out again after her
illness.

Mrs. A. R. Thomas is again con-
fined to the house owing to a fall.

Geo. Huser sold 28,000 bushel of
Barley to the Alberta Pacific Grain
Co. this week.

Messrs. McFaden and Reid have
purchased a hay baling outfit.

Dr. Hall and party of Calgary en-
joyed a day's shooting in the district
Monday last.

The young people of the Floral
School District held a very success-
ful dance last Friday.

J. McLaren formerly a resident
of Crossfield and now of Vancouver,
renewed friendships in town during
the past week.

McLory and Sons have just taken
the agency of the "Float" Electric
Lamps. Call and let them show you
how convenient these are.

Messrs. A. W. Gordon and Chas.
McKay left on Monday afternoon
for a hunt after big game in the
west country. We expect to be din-
ing on venison this week end.

The Oil Boom has hit Crossfield
or rather we should say the Oil
Boomers' as several Salesmen of this
 ilk have made their appearance in
our town lately. We hope those who
have any money to invest will look
before they leap.

If you require to renew your old
Loan or take out a new one call and
see us, as I can save you money.
I represent the N. of Scotland Can.
Mortgage Co., The Canada Life, and
others. CHAS. HULTHJEN.

Members of the Agricultural So-
ciety should keep in mind the Annual
Meeting of the Society, will be
held in the I.O.F. Hall, Crossfield,
Wednesday next, December, the
3rd. at 2.30 P.M. Election of Offi-
cers and Directors for the year 1914
will be held at this meeting.

P. Lavin, or better known as Pat,
who has been employed for the past
two years by the Washington Al-
berta Land Co. left town yesterday for
his home in Dear Old Erin. Pat ex-
pects to be back in a few months
with a bunch of big bouncing Irish
Lasses for the numerous lonesome
bachelors, of whom Pat has quite a
list, we wish him a pleasant journey
and a safe return.

Local Improvement District 280
has been changed into a Municipality
and a meeting will be held in the
Floral Schoolhouse, on Monday,
December 1st, between the hours of
2 and 4 o'clock in the afternoon, for
the purpose of nominating candi-
dates for the position of councillors,
five of which will be required. Mr.
Jas. Laut will act as the returning
officer.

What could be nicer than to send
a private Greeting Card to your
friends and relations for Christmas.
Call at the Chronicle Office and see
our specimens.

FELL ASLEEP.

On Sunday, 24th November, 1913,
at the Rectory, Brooks, Jack Lewis
Thorald, age 2, the beloved only
son of the Rev. A. and Mrs. Thorald
Eller, of Brooks.

"Suffer the little Children to come
unto Me."

What will You Give?

THIS no doubt is a question which is causing you
to worry a little now that XMAS is so near.

WE SUGGEST

That you call and look over our offerings where
we have displayed many useful articles that are bound
to be appreciated.

FOR MEN.

Safety Razors, from - \$1.25 to \$5.00
Cigar Lighters, at - 75c.
Foot Warmers - \$2.00, \$2.25 & \$2.50
Electric Lanterns - \$5.00 & \$10.00

FOR WOMEN.

Carving Sets, - 50c. to \$12.00
Bread Mixers, - \$2.75 and \$3.00
A China Tea Set, any number of
pieces from 3 to 40, from - 75c. to \$7.50

FOR BOYS AND GIRLS.

Skates, - 75c. and up.
Hockey Sticks, - 35c. to 75c.
Pocket Knives, - 25c. to \$2.00
Cups and Saucers, - 15c. to 50c.

See these as they are priced to Sell, not to
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A Needle in a Haystack

A bottle of hay was formerly much used in Derbyshire, England, and probably is so still, to denote a bundle of hay, which was taken from a rick to fodder cattle in a field. When it was difficult to find anything that had been lost the farmer folk were wont to say: You may as well hunt for it as for a needle in a bottle of hay.

Some times the rope tied round the hay had a piece of wood with an eye in it at the end, through which the rope was passed to tie up the bundle and a sharp point at the other end, and this piece of wood may have been called a needle; if so a needle of this kind may have been referred to in the proverbial saying.

Certain morbid conditions must exist in the stomach and intestines to encourage worms, and they will exist as long as these morbid conditions permit them to. To be rid of them and spare the child suffering, use Miller's Worm Powders. They will correct the digestive irregularities by destroying the worms, conditions favorable to worms will disappear, and the child will have no more suffering from that cause.

When Tied Together

An Irish couple, whose married bliss was not without a few squalls, received a home letter from their spiritual adviser regarding their disgraceful quarrels.

His Reverence—That dog and cat you have agreed better than you. The reply somewhat upset him. If your reverence told him together y'd soon change your mind.

Minard's Liniments Cures Burns, Etc.

Dressed in Blue

The juvenile of Pudding-furrow had opened their cricket season. The day was fine, and the players were in good form; in fact everything was in season, even the disgust of the sharp-faceted lady whose garden adjoined the pitch.

Punny thing your boy Jimmy can't play a game without having such big ideas, he remarked over the fence to the lady next door. What's he always want to stand up for?

Why you can't get something better to do than to find fault, came the reply. He got a right to stand up like he likes, I suppose.

Darney he has, snapped the sharp-faceted lady; but next time he smells my old man's nightshirt off the line to dress himself up in he'll get something that'll make him want to give other fellows a chance.

Bread and cheese and kisses; They go together, he's right. I have met with misses Who didn't think that way.

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Here's a chance for you to buy your range from the factory and save 30%—to buy it on easy terms and to get the very range you would choose, even if you had to pay the retail price.

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Turned Down

Dear Mabel, he began, do you love me? Oh, George! Don't you, Mabel—just a little, they say? Well, yes, George. And if I married you would your father give us a separate establishment? Yes, George. And take me into partnership? Yes, George. Your mother, keep away from us except when I invited her? She would, George. And your brothers and sisters, too? Why certainly, George. And of course the old gent would seem to be delirious. Of course, George. And buy us a motorcar and provide you with a handsome dowry? Yes, George. Darling, will you marry me? No, George!

THE FALL WEATHER HARD ON LITTLE ONES

Canadian fall weather is extremely hard on little ones. One day it is warm and bright and the next we and cold. These sudden changes bring on colds, cramps and colic and unless baby's little stomach is kept right the result may be serious. There is nothing to equal Baby's Own Tablets in keeping the little ones well. They sweeten the stomach, regulate the bowels, break up colds and make baby thrive. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

The Lincoln Highway

Toronto, Ont.—A. J. H. Ekhardt, of 107 Niagara street, has written a letter to W. G. Robertson, secretary of the Ontario Motor League here, in which he urges to assist in the building of the Lincoln Highway, sending contributions to the national headquarters in Detroit, Michigan, because he declares, the Lincoln Highway will benefit Canadians far more than residents in many sections of the United States.

"I am writing the lines," says Mr. Ekhardt, "to inform you that I have received from the Lincoln Highway Association, a circular asking for \$5 each from motor car owners to help build a highway from the Atlantic to the Pacific and asking: 'Will you help this?'"

"I do not think there is a Canadian man who would appreciate making a trip from the East to the Pacific Coast over this highway. I myself have sent a cheque for \$5 and will take pleasure in riding over it some time if everything stays well with me."

Outside of that I appreciate the opportunity to subscribe to a fund in memory of such a grand man as Abraham Lincoln, who was, to my way of thinking, one of the greatest English speaking men ever born, the man who abolished slavery in America. Think how Canadians will appreciate this Highway. Automobile owners in the Southern States, or Michigan or Minnesota have no more right to subscribe to the highway than Canadians. Another reason why Canadians should appreciate this highway is because it will be impossible for Canada to build a motor highway with the young country to contend with between Toronto and Winnipeg, conditions that are not the same in the United States.

I would like to see the Lincoln Highway proposition brought to the attention of the different motor clubs of Canada and I feel confident the Canadian people will look upon this subject as a very generous one. Canadians will be much closer to this great highway than the average citizen of the United States. I am writing as a Canadian of the sixth generation, born within 18 miles of Toronto.

He Lost

A police noted for his meanness noticed that strange lad was carrying his clubs. You're not the boy I have usually had, he said. No, sir, replied the lad; you see we tossed wild he called for you. Oh, I see, said the police, and you won't. No, answered the caddy, sorrowfully, I lost.

Scored

Mr. Smart was a very testy old fellow, and there was one thing he hated more than another and that was to be caught napping. As a consequence he was always very suspicious of any deed or word the full meaning of which he could not grasp.

A few days ago he paid a visit to the Zoo, and being fond of animals, was greatly interested, and soon got into conversation with one of the keepers. A very entertaining chat ensued.

As Mr. Smart was about to leave the keeper turned to him and asked: By the way, sir, have you seen our black-faced aunt eeloped? There, thought the old gent, was an attempt to "have him". No, he replied, sorry. I have not. May I ask with whom it was that your black-faced aunt eeloped.

A Thorough Pill—To clear the stomach and bowels of impurities and irritants is necessary when their action is irregular. The pills that will do this work thoroughly are Farmer's Vegetable Pills, which are mild in action but mighty in results. They cure painlessly and effectively, and work a permanent cure. They can be used without fear by the most delicately constituted, as there are no painful effects preceding their gentle operation.

The Widder's Pig

Mike Murphy was taken to task by his spiritual adviser for having stolen Widow Maloney's pig. The evidence against Mike was so direct and positive that it was worse than useless for him to deny the crime, and he listened with downcast eyes and unbroken silence to a well-deserved lecture from the priest upon the wickedness of the theft. He had committed the act, the reverend gentleman asked him what he would say on the Day of Judgment when he should be confronted by Mrs. Maloney and her pig, when he brightened up at a happy thought, and said: And ye say that that pig'll be there and Mrs. Maloney'll be there, too, living witnesses against you. What, reverend, can you say in such a presence? Yer reverence, I'll say, Widow Maloney, there's yer pig, take it.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia

A Good Hand

Booth Tarkington, like most literateurs, writes a served hand. Of this he said in New York recently: Once, crossing to Naples, I sat on a chair with pad and fountain pen at work on a short story. A young Peorian stopped before me.

By gosh, he said, I wish, I could write as well as you do.

I smiled and the Peorian resumed the pronounced. The next time he passed me, he said again: Again, what a hand! If I could only write like that!

Then I smiled a flattered smile, and the Peorian made another round of the deck. There he said a third time: Oh, if I could only write a hand like yours!

Just a little by this third interruption I said:

Well, what would you do if you

Go to China, said the Peorian, and write labels for tea boxes.

WOMAN COULD NOT WALK

She Was So Ill—Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Pontwater, Mich.—"A year ago I was very weak and the doctor said I had a serious disposition."

Just a little by this third interruption I said: Well, what would you do if you Go to China, said the Peorian, and write labels for tea boxes.

Read What Another Woman says:

Peoria, Ill.—"I had such backaches that I could hardly stand on my feet. I would feel like crying out lots of times, and had such a heavy feeling in my right side. I had such terrible bad headaches every day and they would make me feel as if I was going to faint. I was so weak that I could not sleep at night."

"After I had taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a week I began to improve. My backache was gone and that heavy feeling in my side went away. I continued to take the Compound and am cured."

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Bacon's Mother's Advice

Bacon's mother advises to have kept a child on his behavior long after he had attained years of discretion. In 1894, when we thirty-three years old and the leading orator in the House of Commons, we thrice wrote to her son:

Look well to your health. Sup not nor sit up late. Surely I think your drinking to bedwards hindereth your and your brother's digestion very much. I never knew any but sickly that ate it, besides being ill for head and eyes. Observe well, yet in time.

Successful

In all the numerous ailments caused by defective or irregular action of the organs of digestion and elimination—certain to prevent suffering and to improve the general health—

BEECHAM'S PILLS

Sold everywhere. In boxes, 25 cents each.

Council Meetings

The council of the Village of Crossfield will meet in the Council Chamber over Fire Hall on the first Tuesday of each alternate month, commencing with February at 7 p.m.

By Order of the Village Council
4-82-4 W. McIlroy, Sec.-Treas.

Lodge Cards

CROSSFIELD LODGE I. O. O. F.

No. 42

Meets Every Wednesday Night in the Oddfellows Hall at 8 p.m.
Visiting Brethren Welcome.
ARCHIE KNOX, C.M.S. THOMAS,
Fin. Sec'y. Rec.-Sec'y.

Crossfield School District No. 753

The REGULAR MEETINGS of the above School Board will be held at the School House at 10 a.m. on the first Saturday in the following months: January, March, May, July, September and November.
All matters of business pertaining to this district will be attended to at this meeting.
The office of the Sec.-Treas. is in the real estate office next the Chronicle.
A. R. Thomas, Chairman.
E. S. McIlroy, Sec.-Treas.

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For Sale.—EIGHT GOOD HORSES, from one to eight years old. May be seen at I. C. HUBBS, Crossfield.

FOR SALE.—Hereford BULL, Two Polished Shorthorn Bull CALVES, Berkshire BOARS and SOWS also a Few Grade BOARS.

G. TREVERTON JONES,
47 Rosedale, Crossfield.

FOR SALE.—Registered Duroc Jerseys—ONE BOAR, THREE SOWS. All two year old. A fine bunch to start a pure bred herd. Also One registered one year old BOAR. Will sell cheap for Cash.

G. A. C. DOUGAN,
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FOR SALE.—HEATER, Nearly New, makes Moffat, \$10; Iron Double BED-STEAD, Spring MATTRESS and MATTRESS in good condition, \$5; and another one in not such good condition, \$4.

F. MOSSOP,
Crossfield.

Estrays.

Strayed on to W. B. Edwards' field one Brown Mare, 4 white feet, indistinct brand, owner please prove property and remove.

A. COOK, Crossfield.

LOST.

\$10 REWARD will be paid for the recovery of One Dark Grey MARE, weight 1,400 lbs. Branded MP on left shoulder also (bar jewell) left shoulder.

H. A. LINDSAY,
40 Big Prairie.

HAY BALING WANTED.

BAILING by Gasoline Outfit by A. J. STONE, for terms, etc., address Box 144, Crossfield.

LOST OR STOLEN.

Lost or Stolen, on the 20th September, one Red STEER, 3 years old, last seen 1 1/2 miles south of Crossfield. A reward will be given to anyone returning the same, or giving information leading to its recovery. P.O. Box 64, or Chronicle.

CROSSFIELD LOCAL & GENERAL.

Kenneth Neil formerly assistant C.P.R. Agent here who has been out with a survey party near Bassano this past summer, is spending a few days in town.

J. L. Gunsoll returned Tuesday morning after a business trip to Calgary.

Great quantities of grain have been marketed at the local elevators during the past week and the managers are having some difficulty in taking care of all that is coming.

The Directors of the Crossfield and District Agricultural Society held their final meeting of the year this Thursday, when the affairs of the Society were wound up. A financial statement of the receipts and expenditure will appear in this paper next issue.

Rev. J. P. Berry was in Olds last week, and while there visited the Agricultural College and was delighted with the opportunities it affords for the young men of the farm. This district is now represented in the student body by Vernon Thompson, Wilson Stafford and William McCrimmon, several others are looking forward to enrolling in the near future.

There is a meeting in the Fire Hall, on Monday evening next, the 1st of December, for the purpose of Nominating candidates as councillors for the Village of Crossfield. It is hoped to see a good turnout, thus showing that you have the welfare of the district at heart.

A grand Entertainment under the auspices of the R.C. Church, will be given in the Odd-Fellows Hall, on the Evening of Friday, 28th Nov.

An excellent programme of Vocal and instrumental music will be provided, sustained by the famous Scotch Singer Madame Mamie Gardner, Gold Medalist, recently from Edinburgh (Scotland); also Miss Marie McDonald, the Champion Dancer of Canada. The Scotch Reel and Reel O'Tulloch by the four children Marie Fortier, Ellen Ferguson, Beatrice Fortier and Teresa Fortier.

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

A SITTING of the DISTRICT COURT will be held at CROSSFIELD, on FRIDAY, DECEMBER 5th, commencing at 10 a.m.

Dated at Edmonton, 24th November, 1913.

L. F. CLARRY,
Deputy Attorney General.

Public Notice.

I shall NOT be able to do any more Chopping UNTIL AFTER the 15th of December next.

CHAS. HULTGREN,
Crossfield, Alta.

FACTORIES BUSY
ALL OVER COUNTRY

Reason for Cheer in Industrial Conditions Despite Tightness of Money All Over the World

Money may be tight owing to war conditions, the stock market may be slumping, town lots may not be as saleable as they were, but Canadian factories are busy; labor is fully employed, and as an acute observer said, "Duties of the Canadian workers are getting overtime checks in their pay envelopes."

As president of the Dominion Steel Corporation, Mr. J. H. Plummer speaks of trade conditions quite optimistically. A British steel manufacturing firm is to establish a plant at Longueville, and a writer for Industrial Canada, who recently made a tour of investigation throughout Western Ontario, tells of a satisfactory state of affairs in all the important manufacturing towns and cities in that part of the Province. "Everything is growth, development, confidence in the future."

In each of the places visited "the skeleton timbers of factories and additions were rising rapidly. Factories, long established and prosperous, were installing new machinery. The signs "Help Wanted" were numerous. Processions of loaded freight cars were moving out of switches. Many manufacturers stated that they could not keep up to their orders. There seemed to be no idle men anywhere. No strikes were encountered. Manufacturing suburbs full of workmen's homes were appearing in places where the hay fields rustled a few years ago. Good homes they were, too, and walking among them, one was forced to wonder if there were any poor."

In Hamilton, the third manufacturing centre in the Dominion, thirteen factories are being extended and six new factories erected. In Galt, "the little Birmingham of Canada," the capacity of several of the largest existing plants is being enlarged at considerable expense to keep up with the demands from a growing market. A new cotton mill and a new steel plant are under construction at Welland, and a furnace company is to spend \$750,000 on a plant at Port Colborne which will employ two hundred men. Thorold and Port Robinson are securing new industries this year, while important industrial expansion is reported from Niagara Falls and St. Catharines.

At Brantford a great deal of money is going into new plants and enlargements of old ones, and similar developments are forward at London, St. Thomas, Stratford, Quilich, Berlin, Preston and Sarnia. Windsor, Walkerville and Sandwich are getting new industries from the United States and a considerable portion of the City of Detroit is said to be "moving across into Canada" in the wake of motor car and other transplanted industries. Altogether this review of industrial conditions throughout Western Ontario is very cheering to those who are inclined to be pessimistic over the stringency in the money market. So long as our crops increase, so long as the population continues to grow as rapidly as at present, and so long as the National Policy is maintained, we are scarcely likely to see many idle factories or much poverty in this country.

Don't forget the Entertainment, this Friday night, in I.O.O.F. Hall.

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AT THE
Stockyards, CROSSFIELD,
ON

SATURDAY, NOV. 29,
At ONE o'clock, p.m.

75 Head of CATTLE,
a number of Native COWS with
Calves, all young. About a carload
of Two-year old STEERS, also 15
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SAILING DECEMBER 12th.

Train will carry through tourist and
Student Sleeping Cars, Dining Cars and
First-class coaches.

SCHEDULE:—

Lv. Edmonton	21-45k	Sat. Dec. 6th
Arr. Winnipeg	7-55k	Mon. " 8th
Lv. " "	15-15	" " 8th
Arr. Montreal	7-00pm	Wed. " 10th
Lv. " "	7-25pm	" " 10th
Arr. Halifax	10-20pm	Thur. " 11th

If sailing in the "Hesperian" you are advised to take advantage of this Special Train. See your Local Agent for Sleeping Car space and fullest particulars.

R. DAWSON,
District Passenger Agent,
Calgary.

CANADIAN PACIFIC.

EASTERN

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" " 1 " 10c. " 3 for 25c
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GREAT BRIDGES

Facts of Great Structures Across the
Tay and Forth

Not the least of the extraordinary feats of the redoubtable bridge-builders, Sir William Arrol & Co., is the fact that at one time he carried on two such gigantic contracts as the Tay and Forth Bridges. It was a striking tribute to his great powers of organization and to his genius for engineering, on a mammoth scale. The construction of the Tay Bridge was only half finished when he made a start with the gigantic undertaking which now spans the Forth of Forth, from the designs of Sir John Fowler and Sir Benjamin Baker. Over a year was spent in the preliminary preparations alone—this included the building of special plant, the erection of workshops on shore and the thousands of other things connected with the success of such a large scheme. The cost of temporary plant ran to half-a-million sterling, and included the building of other barges, tugs, launches and boats, six steam cranes and winches, fifty hydraulic cranes, three steam engines, six hydraulic jacks, hand-cranes and drilling machines almost innumerable; not to mention one million cubic feet of timber and six miles of wire. The enormous nature of the work is a wonder of the world may be gathered from the following figures. The total length is over a mile and a half, and consists of two spans, each nearly a mile long, two spans of six hundred and seventy-five feet each. In the piers there are about one hundred and twenty thousand cubic yards of masonry, and in the super-structure over forty thousand tons of steel and some fifteen thousand tons of iron.

The building of the Tay Bridge was an opportunity for a display of his engineering genius which the ambitious bridge-maker eagerly welcomed. A rigorous examination revealed the old foundations to be inadequate, and it was decided to build an entirely new bridge a short distance farther up the river. Within five years from the commencement—1882 to 1887—a remarkable erection, over two miles in length, and consisting at a cost of seven hundred and fifty thousand pounds, spanned the estuary, a structure strong enough to defy the fiercest gale that ever blew it. It was the greatest engineering triumph of the age, until it was eclipsed by a greater—the Forth Bridge.

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He Wouldn't Do

We were going along at an awful speed, he said, I didn't see the dog, but I heard his key. So I ordered the chauffeur to stop. Going back, we found an Irish woman standing over her dead dog—one of the ugliest dogs you ever saw. The met us with a tirade of strong remarks, telling us in no uncertain terms what she thought of us and motorists in general, finishing up by calling us the murderers of her dog. It was then that I thought, "What a nuisance. Madam, I said, I will replace your tone of voice, you flatter yourself."

The Way of It

Some men make fools of themselves for a pretty girl and a lot of others don't even have that excuse. The way of it is, they are not.

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Dining on Books

With the exception of minerals it is difficult for one to find on the earth's surface substances that do not tempt the appetite of some sort of animal. The list of queer articles of diet includes the earth, which is munched with satisfaction by the clay eater, and the walrus hide, which the Eskimo relishes as much as John Bull his joint of beef.

It is not generally known, however, that men, as well as mice and bookworms have eaten dinners that have consisted only of books. In 1770 Bernardo Bevilacqua compelled two Papal delegates to eat the bull of excommunication which they had brought him, together with its alken cords and leaden seal. As the bull was written on parchment, not paper, was all the most difficult to digest.

There was also an American general who had signed a note for \$300,000, and when it fell due compelled his creditors to eat it. The Tartars, when books fall into their possession, eat them, that they may acquire the knowledge contained in them.

A Scandinavian writer, the author of a political book, was compelled to choose between being belted or eating his manuscript bolted in broth. Isaac Volmar, who wrote some satires against Bernard, Duke of Saxony, was not allowed the courtesy of the kitchen, but was forced to swallow his own work. The countess of Still wore was the fate of Philip Oldenburger, a jurist of great repute, who was condemned not only to eat a pamphlet of his writing, but also to be flogged during his repast with orders that the flogging should not cease until he had swallowed the last crumb.

FROM GREAT LAKES TO THE ROCKIES

WOMEN SING THE PRAISES OF DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

Saskatchewan Lady Adds Her Testimony to What Has Already Been Said of the Great Work Dodd's Kidney Pills are Doing.

Caesarsville, Sask. (Special).—The scarcity of female help in a new country, where the men are so numerous, is a usual strain, and careful observation has established the fact that the kidney is the most important of the body. For this reason Dodd's Kidney Pills are making an enviable reputation from the fact that they take to the foothills of the Rockies. Everywhere you will find women singing the praises of Dodd's Canadian kidney remedy that has banished their pains and weariness, and brought them back to health. Among the many is Mrs. Edgar Cowen, an estimable lady of this place.

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Quotations That are Wrong

Some of the most frequently used quotations are not quotations at all, but in many cases convey the opposite meaning of the original wording. The following are a few of the most common. The Cooper version, thought he was quoting from the Bible when he spoke of an inscription upon the cross, that he "was crucified," may read, signifying that it was easier to run than read. If Cooper had looked in his Bible he would have found in the book of Habakkuk that the passage he tried to quote was: "Write the vision and make it plain that he may run that readeth it." The vision was a warning, and the reader was to see from danger, but the Cooper version has survived the original and practically put it out of use.

A popular chronic misquotation is that of the passage in Hudibras, which says: He that complains against his will is of the same opinion still. Authors and public speakers without number have twisted that into a maxim, convinced against his will is of the same opinion still, forgetting that a man who was convinced could not possibly remain of the same opinion for if he was of the same opinion he would not be convinced. Theodore Roosevelt publicly declared that Washington in his farewell address said: To be prepared for war is the most effective means to promote peace. But the first President said nothing of the sort in his farewell address. In his first message to Congress he said: To be prepared for war is one of the most effective means of preserving peace, and he spoke of other means as well.

Novellists do not seem to be very strong in their knowledge of the Scriptures, somehow, and Sir Walter Scott, in "The Heart of Midlothian," attempts to point a moral with the words: Our simple and unpretending heroine had the merit of those peace-makers to whom it is promised as a benediction that they shall inherit the earth. The fact is that the peace-makers did not receive any such promise. It is said that the peace-makers shall inherit the earth.

Pro.—They say lightning never strikes twice in the same place. Kohn—Well, what's the use?

ONTARIO WOOD SUPPLIES

Light Thrown on Forest and Trade Conditions by New Government

Over 1200 wood-using industries in Ontario contributed the data for a bulletin on this industry now being issued by the Forestry Branch, Ottawa. Thirty-four different kinds of wood are being used by these industries and the detailed information regarding the various uses to which such woods are put, should be of considerable value not only to the manufacturer by showing new means of waste disposal, but also to the householder by indicating what native woods are best fitted to replace the more expensive imported stock, for interior decoration, furniture and flooring.

The bulletin also shows incidentally the increasing poverty of Ontario with regard to the more valuable wood species. Almost half of the thirty-four kinds of wood now obtained principally from outside sources and three and one half million dollars are annually sent out of the province for imported wood stock. The imported oak alone costs one million six hundred thousand dollars annually, for this tree has become commercially extinct in Ontario while the hickory and chestnut groves of southern Ontario have also, almost entirely disappeared. Even good clear white pine is becoming hard to obtain and its market value is steadily rising for it represents twenty one per cent of the total wood consumption in Ontario for industrial purposes.

Of more interest to the small consumer of wood-products are the side lights the bulletin throws on the possibility of substituting cheap home grown woods for the expensive foreign species now used so extensively. Recent tests made of their physical properties have demonstrated the suitability for certain purposes of many native species, hitherto despised by dealers. For hardwood flooring in place of the oak and maple now generally used, may be substituted the home grown birch and beech which take a high polish and have the advantage of being considerably cheaper.

Likewise for interior finishing, the expensive oak can be very closely imitated by stained birch or stained birch is almost indistinguishable from mahogany, while stained red gum requires an expert to distinguish it from the costly Circassian walnut. The now expensive white pine is being replaced, where durability is not a requisite, by the cheaper spruce, basswood and elm. Poplar is also being used in place of the more common trees in Ontario, and that they have wider uses is evident from the fact that poplar is highly valued for hardwood flooring in Manitoba while balsam birch is perhaps the most valuable native species in the Maritime provinces.

The bulletin also indicates the extensive use of a material in Ontario for sawmills, apple and cherry logs. The lumber cut from these being valued at \$46.00 per thousand feet board measure respectively. The Forestry Branch has already been instrumental in securing sales of the wood of worn out apple orchards and is desirous of encouraging the public along these lines. The bulletin on the Wood-using Industries of Ontario can be obtained from the Forestry Branch, Department of the Interior, Ottawa. A similar report dealing with the Maritime Provinces will appear shortly.

I bought a horse with a supposedly incurable ringbone for \$30. Cured him with the MINNAPOLITAN LINIMENT and sold him for \$85.00. Profit of Liniment, \$54.00.

MOISE DESROCHES

Hotel Keeper, St. Philippe, Que.

Novel Musketry Practice

A report comes from Vienna of the utilisation of the cinematograph for instruction in musketry. The firing squad is posted in front of a cinematograph screen, and a moving colored picture of the battlefield is thrown on it from behind. Each man is then to pick up his target, take aim and fire. When a shot is fired the film stops for a second, and the position of the bullet in the screen is illuminated by a flashlight behind it, which shows the position of the hit with reference to the target.

Answered

Pa. what is meant by idle curiosity? A very good example of idle curiosity my son, is a twelve-dollar car which some clerk taking the price of automobile tires.

The equator is an imaginary line, running around the earth, said the boy who likes to tell what he has learned at school.

An imaginary line, repeated the great railway financier, absent-mindedly. Who is promoting it?

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Correcting the Answer

At a horse-stabling trial west of a town was gathered and shut up in a room after a brief trial, and when an hour had gone by a mob burst in and unceremoniously demanded what the verdict was.

Not guilty, said the foreman. "That won't do," said the leader of the mob fiercely. "You will have to do better than that. And he shut the jury up again."

In half an hour the door was opened once more. "Well, guess, your verdict," said the leader.

Guilty, the foreman retorted.

There were hurrahs from the crowd and the leader said:

Correct. You can go now. We strung him up at four o'clock.

Potatoes and Power

One feature of the origin of the potato, unknown by William Cobbett, not so much as a food, but as a means of life, is that it is a vegetable that is going up in price and down in production. The supply of both is limited, and it is going to be so, but there comes the cheer that alcohol will be the motive force of the future. Pot and coal may give out, but the earth will always grow potatoes. Potatoes can produce alcohol and alcohol can drive engines, and the potato seems to have discovered the secret of perpetual motion.

Real Gratitudes

Presidentialists declare that the days of gay romance are dead—that there is no spirit of chivalry left in the brains of the men of modern times. They are all wrong. Here we have the story in the daily papers that a man in Ohio left all his money to the girl who refused to marry him years ago. That's gratitude for you!

Tired and Weak Nerves Exhausted

The feelings of fatigue and languor which overcome so many people at this season of the year tell of the exhausted condition of the nerves. It is impossible to keep up the action of the heart and the vitality of the nervous system if the blood is thin and watery, and this is why nearly everybody needs tonic treatment in the spring.

Some of the symptoms are restlessness, purposeless activity, insomnia, absent-mindedness, lack of ambition and enthusiasm, head-aches and neuritic pains, dyspepsia and indigestion, depression.

Monotony of work and mental overstrain or worry sap the nervous system, as does also the strenuousness of modern life, whether in the business or social world.

More and more men and women are obliged to seek the assistance of such concentrated forms of the nerve food, Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, to restore vitality to the tired and worn-out nerves.

Such treatment is necessary, because disease of the nerves do not right themselves. As nerve force runs down, the entire system falls to extract the necessary nutrition from the food. Dr. Chase's Nerve Food supplies the concentrated form of the ingredients required, and restores health.

Little patience is necessary in treating diseases of the nerves and rest helps to restore strength. You can see nothing but good results when you use

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Domestic Criminations

Faults That Can't Be Cured
Are Better Not
Mentioned

By DONALD CHAMBERLIN

It's hardly worth while for a husband to call his wife's attention to her faults, or vice versa, for where one has a blondest the other is sure to have one to balance it. The way to keep the family peace is for each to bear with the other's shortcomings and not call attention to them.

My wife's chief fault is extravagance. When we were first married I used to lecture her about spending money lavishly, explaining to her that every one should exercise restraint in this respect. But I found it didn't do any good and only troubled her. She retaliated by accusing me of being so inordinately careless that she feared I would some day lose a great deal of money or otherwise bring calamity on the family. This was true, and her prediction came to pass. One day I left a package of bank bills on the seat



"THAT NECKLACE WAS NOT STOLEN," SAID THE BROOKER.

of a carriage and never recovered any part of the amount.

After this when my wife spent a lot of money I ground my teeth and said nothing, for I knew she would fling this loss at me almost when she would say something she didn't need and find she had been swindled in the purchase, that I might hold it over her, as she held my loss of the bills over me.

Her mother being ill, she left me to go to minister to her. The last thing she said before getting into the train was: "Mary Bradshaw borrowed my jewels to wear to a ball. She was to have returned them this morning, but I suppose she came in very late last night and didn't get up in time. When they come put them in the safe at once. But you won't forget to do so, and I'll lose my jewels."

"It seems to me, my dear," I retorted, "that for you, who are so reckless with your expenditures, to trust me with my carelessness is a case of the pot calling the kettle black."

Remember, if the jewels are lost through your carelessness you're not to lay the blame on Mary.

The train started, and with a good-bye to my wife I went to my office. When I reached home after business hours I found a messenger waiting for me with the jewels who said he was to deliver them into my hands. I took them upstairs with me, laid them on a table, dressed for the evening and went out to dine at my club, having forgotten all about them. I came home late at night and put off pictures them in the safe till the next morning. Again I forgot them, going to business without having attended to the matter. My wife had left orders with her housekeeper to have everything turned upside down. That is, the house was to be cleaned. The work was done by men and women hired for the purpose. After the job was done the housekeeper came to me to tell me that some of the cleaners had taken the jewels, that she and I missed several small articles. At once thought of the jewels that were still on the table when I had left them. I hurried to the box in which they were kept, fearing not to find them, but was agreeably disappointed. It was still there. I opened it, and the jewels were in it. All of

them? No. Where was that pearl necklace that my wife prized most of all her possessions?

It was in a box. Not for all the gold of the Indies would I have my wife know that I had left her jewels on the table when outside scrub persons were in the house, free to help themselves. Yet what could I do? To accuse the cleaners would be to confess my own care and would do no good. I thought of asking Mary Bradshaw if she had the necklace, but she said she would also bring the matter to light. I was able to buy another necklace, though considerable money would be required for the purpose, but would be unable to duplicate the one lost so that my wife would not recognize it for a substitute.

The only chance for recovering the property without criminating myself would be to advertise for its return, a reward to be paid and no questions asked. This I did, not signing my name to the ad., anxious to be seen in the newspaper for me. Every morning I called on the clerk at the newspaper business office, and every morning he gave me a batch of mail and said "Nothing."

I wouldn't have a word for the money loss. It was the fact that this second loss of neglect would give my wife a new lash to hold over me. It was needed because the old one was getting a trifle worn. She could now use the two alarums.

I interviewed a police officer on the matter of recovering the necklace, and he advised me to search the pawnshops. I was ready to do anything that could be done without giving myself away, and having copied the names and addresses of some fifty pawnbrokers, I began to go the rounds. All the while I feared my wife would come home without giving me time to make thorough search. Indeed, she wrote me that she would start in a few days. I wrote her that I had an important business matter on hand that would keep me "downstairs" day and night for awhile and she had better defer her coming till after the rush was over. I also replied in this letter to the many questions about her jewels that there was no danger of their being lost, for they had been carefully put away. I felt like a reprieved convict when I received a reply stating that she would stay where she was for awhile longer, especially since her mother needed her. I could hardly gladden her mother was in a condition to need her and hoped she would grow wiser instead of better.

I had shown my list of pawnbrokers to a police officer, who had checked those most likely to receive stolen goods. I had therefore left out the most respectable persons in the business. When I had exhausted the low grade I began on the others, though in a half hearted way, for I had but little hope. At last one morning I went to one of the best men in the business and told him of my loss. He said no stolen goods ever came into his possession, for his clientele were only persons of the first class who needed money and knew they could rely on him to keep the secret of their necessities.

I was about to leave his shop when he asked me what I had lost. I described my wife's necklace, and he picked up his card. Going to his safe, he pulled out a pearl necklace that I recognized at once as the one I had been searching for.

"Barbar!" I exclaimed.

"That necklace was not stolen," said the broker.

"How did it come into your possession?" I asked.

"The owner brought it to me, and I made a loan on it."

I asked him to give me the name of the owner, but he denied having it, saying that a pawn ticket had been issued for it. I asked him to describe the person who had pawned it, and he described my wife.

I was raised from the depths of despondency to exultation. Instead of my wife having the whip hand of me I had the whip hand of her. I made a bee line for home and searched the house for that pawn ticket. Having looked in every nook and corner, I turned to my wife's writing desk, but there it locked. Sending for a locksmith, I had him pick the lock, found the ticket, and he related the tale. The same evening the necklace was in the jewel box, and the jewel box was in my wife's hands.

Then I wrote my wife that I was getting lonely and hoped her mother could spare her to me. She came home soon after this and asked me the usual round of questions as to whether anything unpleasant had happened while she was gone. I said nothing unusual had occurred, but the housekeeper told her that a few things had been missed after the housecleaning, and, taking the alarm, she went out to see her jewel case.

The expression on her face when she came to me, after having discovered that the necklace she had pawned had been returned to her, was a study. She looked at me suspiciously, yet almost facetiously.

"What is it, dear?" I asked.

"When I went away my pearl necklace was out in my jewel box."

"No," I said, "it was not. I was careful enough to look to see that ev-

erything was in its place. I missed the necklace, made an investigation and found that it had pawned it."

I often recall the scene that followed. To my wife, who stood before me with hanging head, I gave a lecture on extravagance. I pictured the evils which are bound to arise from this kind of conduct, and predicted, for both of us if she did not mend her ways. In conclusion, I modestly mentioned my own care and forethought in making sure that all the jewels had been returned and in taking excellent care of those I had found in the box. And now," I said as a last injunction, "I trust I shall hear no more of this ridiculous notion you have got into your head that I am careless. Look, rather, to the beam in your own eye." Kissing away a tear starting in her eye, I begged her to dismiss the matter from her mind.

While my discovery served to give me an advantage when accused of carelessness, it did not alter my wife's extravagance, and I am free to confess it didn't make me more careful. But from that time "the pot ceased to call the kettle black."

An Effective Reply.

Very effective was the reply made the other day by Mr. K. H. Hardie to those people who insist upon ranking Labor M.P.'s, who now receive \$2,000 a year, among the well-to-do. Mr. Hardie, talking at a meeting on the conditions of the masses, was pertinently asked by a woman in the crowd if he were worth with \$2,000 a year. The member for Merthyr Tydfil replied in the affirmative, and added that after paying his expenses he was left with \$14 a week.

The fair photographer was a shamed skin. Her spokes her on a visible type writer.—Newark News.

Don't talk to me of "chickens." That's just along the street. I know a kind that's better for me. Tempting and more sweet. A chicken that can win and hold. The love of my kind. The kind that makes that sizzling sound. When trying in the pan.—Louisville Post.

Teacher—What is the derivation of the word lunatic? Pupil—Luna, the moon, and—as—er—the, the upper story.—Town Topics.

Mantel—I had no idea that Bab was worth more than ten millions. Dunlop—He wasn't until the government dissolved his trust.—Hirokwa Life.

Think of him who in the midst of All these winter scenes Has to point out rules of civility For the Christmas magazines.—Denver Republic.

The real state man was looking over the "nose." "This is the parlor, sir?" he asked of old man Thomas.

"Well, I call it the courtroom," replied the old gentleman.

"The courtroom?" said the agent in surprise. "What do you mean?"

"Well," explained Thomas, with a knowing smile, "I've got seven daughters, you know."—Lippincott's Magazine.

When your skin's sunburned to a glow And feels like it would crack Why is it every man you know Will get a cold?—Cincinnati Enquirer.

She after the quarrel—I will send back your ring and other presents tomorrow.

She—Oh, there's no hurry I don't expect to be engaged again for a week or two.—Boston Transcript.

Never write a letter with a "Burn this" at the end. In your converse bear in mind the telegraph. Get not too confidential of the tickler. And then at protest you can serenely laugh.—Haltimore American.

Mrs. Robinson—And were you up the Rhine?

Mrs. de Jones—I should think not; right to the very top. What a splendid view there is from the summit!—Tit-Bits.

Love used to have four letters—L, O, V, E—and that was the spell. But now it has only three. What a spell! We would tell the story all. And tells it nicely every day. That let's dream, heart, is O! —John Kendrick Bangs in Australia.

Mathews was pessimistic.

"Age doesn't hurt you any," he declared. "I don't know how summer resorts where I don't want to go again."—New York Sun.

For marriage and power There runs an old saw. Of course you have heard it. "It's all the draw."—Detroit Free Press.

Parks—Do you leave your servants in charge of your house during the summer? Lane—Not any more so than the rest of the year.—Life.

My wife summer in the hills. He abroad will roam. Pa, who has to foot the bill. Summer here, winter home.—Pittsburgh Post.

Two Strangest Lives.

Clovis Hughes, the French journalist, poet and duelist, filled his fifty-five years of life with suicidal excitement to make him worthy of special mention. One of his claims to distinction was that he had engaged in a French duel which resulted fatally—for the other man was a temperamental radical and was once suspended from the chamber of deputies for insulting remarks to the president, which did not at all curb him. He wrote a number of novels, poems and plays in which he sought to spread socialist propaganda, and he wrote a pretentious five act drama in verse called "Le Sommeil de Danton" ("The Sleep of Danton"), which was produced at the Opera Comique. His wife contributed her share of excitement by killing a public official in the palace of justice because of an alleged insult. Before she was discovered she acted "La Vengeance de M. Clovis Hughes." The play depicted her sensational act and represented her as triumphantly exonerated by the court. When the trial came the court did as predicted.

Gloves.

The origin of gloves is very ancient. Some authorities assert that they were known in Bible times, from references made to "hooves" which were thought to be identical with gloves. The first clear account of gloves comes, however, from Xenophon. This writer speaks of the Persians wearing gloves on their hands to protect them from the cold. Homer describes Laertes working in his garden with gloves upon his hands to protect them from the thorns, and Varro mentions this apparel as being worn by the Romans. Gloves have been taken of solemn and important character the night of the story. They were worn as a rite of the church, and later the transferring of lands or titles was always attended with the presentation of gloves. In the eleventh century the method of challenging to single combat by throwing down a glove was instituted, and this custom still remains in some countries.

Pierpont Morgan's Fairy Palace.

Pierpont Morgan's wonderful home in Prince's Gate differed little on the outside from its neighbors, merely two houses rolled into one, but its interior suggested nothing so much as the fairy palace of Auldland. In the hall a spring was pressed and part of one of the walls "went away" in the approved style. You walked down into a basement, which at first sight resembled nothing so much as one of the lower decks on a large liner. The walls were so arranged along the stairs that it appeared to be a number of safes, but they were really doors opening into small rooms, into each of which a peculiar portion of Mr. Morgan's collection had been brought. There were rooms for English silver, for porcelain and for half a dozen other articles of art. No one was ever fortunate enough to be shown round by Mr. Morgan himself can for get the experience.—London Hyndland.

Mercury Poisoning.

"I would suggest," says a doctor "that, whenever persons are found to have swallowed bicarbonate of mercury, several eggs be forced down their throats. The albumen in the eggs will form a chemical compound with the mercury, which will be insoluble. Thus the poison will pass through the intestines or be vomited by the victim. It is always a good thing to pump out the stomach first or to induce vomiting. At times it is necessary to act quickly if the life of the person is to be saved, and it takes time for a physician to arrive on the scene. Bicarbonate of mercury will not produce a painless death. It is a poison that paralyzes the liver. It is also found in the walls of the stomach, and the victim generally dies in great agony."—Des Moines Register and Leader.

Witch Burning.

There are countries in which the execution of women as witches is only a thing of yesterday. The last instance of witch burning occurred as recently as 1888 in Peru, and in other parts of South America cases continued to occur until the second half of the nineteenth century. England's worst conviction for witchcraft took place at Hertford in 1712, and Scotland was convulsed with witch trials later, while Spain and Germany retained a judicial belief in witches and the justice of killing them until 1788 and 1786.

Silence Preferred.

J. M. Harris, the novelist, has said that one of the most highly civilized functions he ever attended was a dinner at which he turned to his neighbor and asked, "Do you converse?" "No," I don't," replied his neighbor, "I don't," said Mr. Harris, and they did not.—London Mail.

News to Him.

"Why is it that they never place the pictures of living men on banknotes?" asked the fellow who had become rich by selling the words of "Popper."

"Don't they?" the poet replied.

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General Manager of Government Railways Who Has Just Emerged From Dispute on L.O.R. Which Nearly Resulted in a Strike is 46 Years of Age—Rose on Canadian Pacific.

F. F. Gutelius, general manager of Government Railways, who has recently averted a strike of 2,500 employees on the Intercolonial, is one of the highest salaried men in Canada. He is paid \$20,000 a year to supervise and direct all departments of the Government rail-



F. F. GUTIELLUS.

ways and will be in charge of the Hudson Bay Railway when it is completed. He is recognized as one of the ablest railway men in the country. He was born in the United States 40 years ago, and is of German and Quaker parentage. He graduated as a civil engineer in 1887, went to British Columbia in 1889, and has held many important posts in the service of the C.P.R. The men on the Intercolonial demanded from their chief a revision of the rules and a general increase in wages.

Chattering Brunettes.

A correspondent of a noted London publication "lets it in" for the dislustrous brunette. He writes: "Shun, my brothers, the long tongue of the short woman; beware the brunette's babbling."

With stature, serenity," is another phrase of this student of women, who says: "Warn bachelors that if they seek a placid domestic life let them shun the small, dark woman, who rarely ceases from her chatter, and seek the tall, slender, fair woman, slow of speech, calm and equable."

A test which, the publication says, was made in London of the truth of Mr. Morgan's allegation showed that, while it is impossible to go to the lengths to which he goes in his statements, it is almost invariably far more deliberate and more reserved in their manner than short women and are rarely rapid speakers. Dark women in each class show more at greater speed than fair women, and the suggestion was certainly substantiated that short women speak faster than tall women.

A teacher of foreign languages, head of a large academy, comments: "Generally speaking, short women speak much more frequently than tall women. In France and in the eastern countries women are almost invariably vicious in temperament. On the other hand, in Russia, where women are tall, they speak much more deliberately."

"I willingly countenance your marriage with my daughter," wrote a physician to his prospective son-in-law, "conditionally on your accepting as a wedding present her mother. As a wife she has not been a success; as a mother-in-law she is at least problematical. At all events, I can endure her temper no longer, and as she expresses a wish to live with her daughter I am sending her along by the next train."

In due course the lady arrived and lived with the young couple for many years.—London Mail.

Apply Your Knowledge.

"A college education is worth \$25,000 in increased earning capacity," declares a western university. It is, and is not. There are college men who could not earn this sum in twenty-five years. There are men earning twice as much as a man who never even walked by a college. It is a fine thing to have, but its earning capacity depends upon the practical use made of it, says the wise man in Power.

When the Cake Is Done.

It should pull from the side of the pan. Should not stick to a toothpick when it is put into the center.

It should spring back in place when the finger is pressed on the top.—Woman's World.

Compensation.

"Bobby, won't you be a good boy and go to Sunday school this morning?"

"Mamma, will you let me skip my sabb if I do?"—Chicago Tribune.

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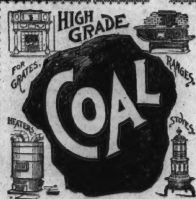
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Distribution of Seed Grain and Potatoes. From the Dominion Experimental Farms. 1913-1914

By instructions of the Hon. Minister of Agriculture, a distribution of superior sorts of grain, and potatoes, will be made during the coming Winter and Spring to Canadian farmers. The samples for general distribution will consist of spring wheat (5 lbs.), white oats (4 lbs.) barley (5 lbs.), and field peas (5 lbs). These will be sent out from Ottawa. A distribution of potatoes (in 3 lb samples) will be carried on from several of the experimental farms, the Central Farm at Ottawa supplying only the provinces of Ontario and Quebec. All samples will be sent free, by mail.

Applicants must give particulars in regard to the soil on their farms, and some account of their experience with such kinds of grain or potatoes as they have grown, so that a promising sort for their conditions may be selected.

Each application must be separate and must be signed by applicant. Only one sample of grain and one of potatoes can be sent to each farm. Applications on any kind of printed form cannot be accepted. If two or more samples are asked for in the same letter only one will be sent.

As the supply of seed is limited, farmers are advised to apply early; but the applications will not necessarily be filled in the exact order in which they are received. Preference will always be given to the most thoughtful and explicit requests. Applications received after the end of January will probably be too late.

All applications for grain (and applications from the provinces of Ontario and Quebec for potatoes) should be addressed to the Dominion Cerealists, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa. Such applications require no postage. If otherwise a delay and disappointment may occur.

Applications, for potatoes, from farmers in any other province should be addressed (postage prepaid) to the Superintendent of the nearest Branch Experimental Farm in that province.

J. H. Grisdale,
Director,
Dominion Experimental Farms.

Refer to W. Truquhart's full page advertisement for Cash prices of his goods. It will be noticed there are large number of additions this week. His slogan is "Deal Where it Pays to Buy for Cash."

For some time past the C.P.R. has been equipping all its switching locomotives with fire fighting apparatus, and in addition to this being ordered on all now switching equipment, orders have been issued to add it to all that class as they come in for shopping. At the end of last year there were on all parts of the system 182 locomotives so equipped.

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Census of Agricultural Conditions in Canada.

Ottawa, November 15. The Census and Statistics Office has issued today the usual bulletin upon agricultural conditions throughout Canada as reported by correspondents at the end of October. The report gives estimates of the areas, yields and values of root and fodder crops, of the area sown to fall wheat for next year's harvest, of the proportions of ploughing completed this fall and of the acreage summer fallowed in 1913.

The total area under root and fodder crops (potatoes, turnips, mangolds, etc., hay and clover, alfalfa, fodder corn and sugar beets) is placed at 8,663,000 acres and the total value of the products from this area at \$187,499,100. The estimated total yields and values of these crops are: potatoes 70,780,000 bushels value \$57,374,000; turnips and other roots 75,000,000 bushels, value \$20,101,000; hay and clover 10,050,000 tons, value \$114,789,000; fodder corn 2,436,300 tons, value \$11,271,500; alfalfa 251,700 tons, value \$2,285,000 and sugar beets 161,000 tons, value \$669,000. These figures are provisional, as finally corrected returns, based on the Census of 1911, will be available for publication at the end of the year. The average yields per acre for the Dominion are reported as 165.85 bushels for potatoes as compared with 172.16 bushels last year, 354.12 bushels for turnips and other roots as compared 402.51, 1.32 ton for hay and clover as compared with 1.47 ton, 8.64 tons for fodder corn as compared with 10.26, and 2.44 tons for alfalfa as compared with 2.70. It will be recalled that last year's wet season was especially favourable for roots and fodder crops.

In quality all these crops are marked as about 90 or above 90 per cent of the standard, excepting fodder corn which is 85.

The potato yield is highest in New Brunswick, 244 bushels, and lowest in Ontario, 119 bushels. The area estimated to be sown to fall wheat for the crop of 1914 totals 1,000,700 acres, as compared with 1,065,800 acres, the area estimated to have been sown in 1912-1913. This represents a net diminution for the five

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provinces of Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, and British Columbia of 80,100 acres or 7.37 per cent. Ontario where nearly seven tenths of the crop is grown remains practically stationary the estimated total reduction being only 2,000 acres from 606,000 acres. There is a diminution of 1,100 acres in the two provinces of Manitoba and British Columbia, offset by an increase of 6,000 acres, making 78,000 acres in Saskatchewan. The bulk of the reduction is therefore in Alberta where the acreage is estimated as 229,000 as against 212,000, or a decrease of 83,000 acres — nearly 27 per cent. Correspondents attribute this decrease to the excessive amount of winter killing of fall wheat during the last three years in consequence of which many farmers have given up this crop altogether. The condition of fall wheat for all Canada averages 92.74 per cent of a standard, Manitoba and Saskatchewan showing the best condition with 95 and 96 points respectively.

The percentage of fall ploughing completed compares well with last year, when however the conditions were exceptionally unfavourable. The percentage ranges from the lowest of 80 in Saskatchewan to the highest of 70 in Quebec. In Manitoba and Alberta the respective percentages are 86 compared with 27 last year and 44 compared with 24.

As compared with 1912 all the provinces developed a smaller area to summer following excepting Prince Edward Island and the three Northwest provinces, where the increased percentages are from 2 to 5.